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## By Hand and ECF

The Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis United States District Judge United States District Court 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Lauren Salzman

Criminal Docket No. 18-204 (S-2) (NGG) (VMS)

## Dear Judge Garaufis:

On March 25, 2019, the defendant Lauren Salzman pleaded guilty in open court. At that time and at the request of counsel for Lauren Salzman, the Court sealed the transcript of the defendant's plea hearing. The parties now jointly move the Court to unseal the enclosed redacted copy of the defendant's change of plea hearing. The government respectfully submits that the proposed limited redactions are necessary for the reasons set forth on the record during the March 25, 2019 plea hearing. If the Court grants the joint

request, the government will provide the court reporter with the proposed redactions so that the court reporter can make the redacted transcript available to requesting parties.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure (by hand)

Clerk of the Court (NGG) (by ECF) (without enclosure) cc: